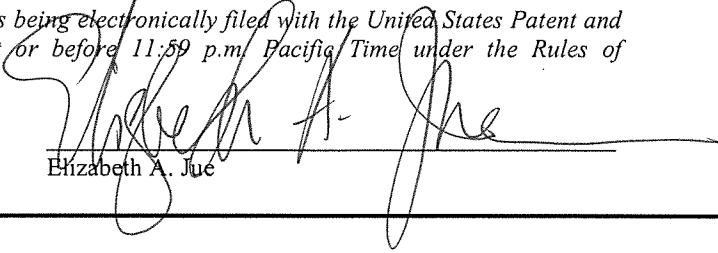

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Elizabeth A. Jue

Application Number	:	10/591,516	Confirmation No.	1668
Filing Date	:	September 1, 2006		
Inventor(s)	:	Hirokazu Arai, et al.		
Title	:	PHENOL RESIN MOLDING MATERIAL AND PULLEY MOLDED FROM SAID MOLDING MATERIAL		
Group Art Unit	:	1763		
Examiner Name	:	Darcy D. LaClair		
Docket No.	:	58328/A400	Date:	April 18, 2012

MAIL TO: Mail Stop RCE

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

This application is **not** an application of the kind specified in 37 CFR § 1.114(e).

1. THE STATUS OF THE APPLICATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

a. Pending (no review proceedings active)

(1) An Action was mailed by the Office on January 25, 2012, as to which no appeal under 37 CFR § 1.191 has been filed and

a response under 37 CFR § 1.116 was filed on

via Express Mail

with certificate of electronic transmission under 37 CFR § 1.8

that Action was a Final Rejection, the finality of which is to be withdrawn by this Request

an appeal or civil action under 35 U.S.C. 141,145 or 146 has been terminated

(2) Allowed: the Notice of Allowance was mailed by the Office on

the Issue Fee has not been paid

the Issue Fee has been paid **and** a petition under 37 CFR § 1.313 was granted on

b. Pending (with review proceeding active)

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Application No. 10/591,516

An appeal under 37 CFR § 1.191 has been filed. **Applicant(s) hereby withdraw that appeal and request reopening of the prosecution of the application.**

2. SUBMISSION(S) REQUIRED (check at least one)

a. Previously submitted

Consider the amendments/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on
 Consider the arguments in the Appeal or Reply Brief previously filed on
 Other:

b. Enclosed

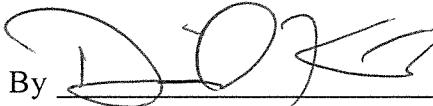
Amendment/Reply
 Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 Information Disclosure Statement
 Documents under 37 CFR § 1.48
 Petition for Extension of Time
 Other:

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
FEE CALCULATION SHEET**

Application No. 10/591,516

PART I — BASIC FEE			
BASIC FEE	Small Entity \$465.00	Large Entity \$930.00	\$930.00

PART II — ADDITIONAL CLAIMS (compared to application before RCE)						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	FEE
Total Claims	4	*20		x \$30.00	x \$60.00	
Independent Claims	4	**4		x \$125.00	x \$250.00	
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				\$225.00	\$450.00	
TOTAL CLAIMS FEE						\$
List Independent Claims: 1, 2, 3, 4						
* IF THE "HIGHEST NUMBER OF TOTAL CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" IS LESS THAN 20, WRITE "20" IN THIS SPACE.						
** IF THE HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR IS 3 OR LESS, WRITE "3" IN THIS SPACE.						

1. FEES (*The RCE fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.*)
 - a. Amount (total from Fee Calculation Sheet)
The fee of \$930 is submitted herewith.
 - b. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required for this transaction to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account.